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**Amendments to the Specification**

Please add the following new paragraph on page 1 before the first paragraph:

**CROSS REFERENCES**

--This application is a divisional of co-pending U.S. Application Serial No. 09/953,499 filed September 14, 2001, which is a continuation of, and claims priority under 35 USC §120 to, US Application 09/254,465 filed 3/5/99, which is a continuation of and claims priority under 35 USC §120 to, PCT Application PCT/US98/24855 filed 11/20/98 which claims priority under 35 USC § 119 to US Provisional Application 60/078,936 filed 3/20/98, and where PCT Application PCT/US98/24855 is also a continuation-in-part of PCT/US98/19437 filed 9/17/98, the disclosures of which are expressly incorporated herein by reference.--

Please insert the enclosed sequence listing which contains Sequence ID Nos. 1-30 into the specification, immediately prior to the claims.

Please replace the paragraph on page 49 beginning at line 4, with the following amended paragraph:

The extracellular domain (ECD) sequences (including the secretion signal sequence, if any) from about 950 known secreted proteins from the Swiss-Prot public database were used to search EST databases. The EST databases included public EST databases (e.g., GenBank), a proprietary EST database (LIFESEQ®, Incyte Pharmaceuticals, Palo Alto, CA). The search was performed using the computer program BLAST or BLAST2 [Altschul *et al.*, *Methods in Enzymology*, 266:460-480 (1996); <http://blast.wustl.edu/blast/README.html>] as a comparison of the ECD protein sequences to a 6 frame translation of the EST sequences. Those comparisons resulting in a BLAST score of 70 (or in some cases, 90) or greater that did not encode known proteins were clustered and assembled into consensus DNA sequences with the program "phrap" (Phil Green, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington; <http://bozeman.mbt.washington.edu/phrap.docs/phrap.html>).

Please replace the paragraph on page 68 beginning at line 26, with the following amended paragraph:

The following materials have been deposited with the American Type Culture Collection, ~~12301 Parklawn Drive, Rockville, MD 10801~~ University Boulevard, Manassas, VA 20110-2209, USA (ATCC):

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<u>Designation</u>	<u>ATCC Dep. No.</u>	<u>Deposit Date</u>
pRK5-based plasmid DNA40628-1216	209432	November 7, 1997
DNA45416-1251	209620	February 5, 1998
DNA35638-1141	209265	September 16, 1997

Please replace the paragraph on page 68 beginning at line 34, with the following amended paragraph:

These deposits were made under the provisions of the Budapest Treaty on the International Recognition of the Deposit of Microorganisms for the Purpose of Patent Procedure and the Regulations thereunder (Budapest Treaty). This assures maintenance of a viable culture of the deposit for 30 years from the date of deposit. The deposit will be made available by ATCC under the terms of the Budapest Treaty, and subject to an agreement between Genentech, Inc. and ATCC, which assures that all restrictions imposed by the depositor on the availability to the public of the deposited material will be irrevocably removed upon the granting of the pertinent U.S. patent, assures permanent and unrestricted availability of the progeny of the culture of the deposit to the public upon issuance of the pertinent U.S. patent or upon laying open to the public of any U.S. or foreign patent application, whichever comes first, and assures availability of the progeny to one determined by the U.S. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to be entitled thereto according to 35 USC § 122 and the Commissioner's rules pursuant thereto (including 37 CFR § 1.14 with particular reference to 886 OG 638).